GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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ANIMAL HUSBANDRY/DAIRY INDUSTRY
CHINTAMAN NAVSHA WANAGA;HARIBHAI PARTHIBHAI CHAUDHARY

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have formulated any scheme/programme for development of animal husbandry and dairy industry in the country, particularly in Maharashtra;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the total funds allocated and released during 1998-1999, 1999-2000 and 2000-2001, till date; and

(d) the procedure adopted to monitor the progress of these schemes/programmes?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR DEBENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) to (c): Animal Husbandry is a State subject. The Government has been implementing various schemes in all Statesincluding Maharashtra to supplement their efforts for the development of the sector. The requisite details of funds allocated and released to the States including Maharashtra is given in the annexed statement.

(d): The progress of the schemes is monitored through regular review meetings held internally as well as with the Officials of the State Governments.